# THIS MORNING UNTIL 12 M.

## Read This.

Twice in the year-at Christmas and Easter-the Palais Royal is in the unique position of having too many visitors. To avoid the overcrowding of the afternoon, the following special prices this morninguntil midday:

\$2.88 this morning for \$3.50 and \$4.25 for all \$5.00 Untrimmed Hats, with choice of every latest shape and color.

15c this morning for 190 and 42 for 50c yard Braids, in correctly new effects and colors. 59c this morning for the 75c, the \$1.50 French Flowers and political for the \$1.50 French Flowers and Folfage.

21c this morning for the 25c and 28 for the 50c Flowers, &c. Tens of thousands to pick from.

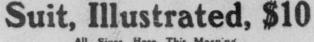
10 per cent discount this morning on all Aigrettes at \$5.00 to \$60.00, and all Plumes at \$5.00 to \$45.00.

65c this morning for 75c Vel-omber Ribbons; 23c for 40c Omber Ribbons; 21c for 25c Ma-line.

The reader who is yet without the Easter Hat is requested to call before midday. Note that when the gong sounds at 12 o'clock regular prices will be resumed.

\$7.50 \$10 \$15 \$18 Hats. \$30 \$25 \$30 Hats. \$35 Hats.

With all the excitement attending the greatest millinery businessof Washington there's no unnecessary confusion-because of more than one hundred attendants, a perfect system, and 130x75 feet of floor



All Sizes Here This Morning.

Note the graceful lines of this Pure Linen Suit-and note that you can be fitted with every chance of no alterations being required. And think of only \$10! For \$15 are heavier Linen Crash Suits, new novelties in violet, light blue, and oyster white, some with polka dot, some with patent leather and some with linen collar and cuffs to match the suit.

## Silk Dresses, \$10.98 and \$15.98

No Alterations Are Required.

A score and more of these Chiffon and Messaline Silk Taffeta Dresses were distributed vesterday-and only one needed a slight alteration. With great variety of styles and colors, as well as sizes, these dresses are the salvation of those who have put off a selection for Easter.

> Suits, \$29.98 \$24.98 \$15.98 Were \$45 Were \$35 Were \$25

Come before midday, and not only profit by these reduced prices, but be assured of a thoroughly rested and alert attendant, a private fitting room, and no hurry or worry.

### \$2.98 for \$5 Silk Waists.

Still squabbling in Philadelphia-more of those Chiffon and Messaline Silk Waists are here. This time grays, navy, garnet, and golden brown, as well as black. All sizes.

And look here for the loveliest of Chiffon Waists to match the color of your gown. Prices gradually rise from \$5.98 to \$12.50.

## See the New Gloves, &c.

Learn that the Palais Royal stocks of Gloves, Stockings, and Ribbons are in harmonizing shades or to match gowns and hats. Come before noon to-day-and profit by price surprise. Look on first floor tables.



\$38.50 and \$45.00 Suits.

Less 10 per cent discount.

One-of-a-kind Exclusive Suits of finest all-wool French Serge, new light-weight Diagonal Cloths, Sharkskin, &c. The braiding on these suits is a work of art.

Corsets, \$1.29 \$2.98 \$3.29

Standard Makes. Were \$2.00. Were \$4.00. Were \$5.00.

All broken lots have been culled from the shelves and thrown upon tables in front of the department proper. Apparent confusion, but our experts will know the Corset you require and will promptly tell you if you are fortunate enough to profit by this bargain chance. It's more than likely, because nearly all styles or sizes are here in one make or another.

### The Undergarments for Now.

Glove-fitting Swiss Ribbed Light-weight "Merode" Vests, Pants, and Tights. 49c grade. Special price to-day until 39c  Union Suits, with low neck, lace-trimmed umbrella and tight knee pants; 49c quality; until midday .... 39c

Lisle Thread Union Suits, low neck, with fancy yokes, and lace-trimmed pants; manufacturers' seconds; values up 50c to \$1.00

"Klosfit" Petticoats, \$1.50 to \$5.00.

Fitting the waist and hips like a glove-never developing a pucker or wrinkle, and requiring no alterations. The patented elastic waistband and side gussets of elastic jersey cloth are part explanation. The snap fastenings are another. Of cotton and silk, prices gradually rising from \$1.50 to \$5.00. All lengths, in white, black, and colors to match dress materials.

# Growing Lilies, 17c Bloom

Healthy plants in full bloom-Azeleas, 70c; Rhododendrons, \$2.25; Spirea, 79c; Maiden Hair Ferns, 50c; Smaller Ferns, 10c; Palms, 39c.



This Coupon and 19c

Entitles bearer to one 39c Terra Cotta Jardiniere, size to hold potted lily or other plant.

Easter Jewelry, 25c

Come as early as you can this morning-and carry off the best treasures you'll find on the first floor tables, near elevator. Easy to find pieces worth \$1.00-if you come early.



# Reliable Eyeglasses, 98c

Satisfaction for one year-or money refunded

Don't think we can engage the services of an expert of two famous colleges, with the later indorsement of the medical faculty and testimonials from many grateful for services rendered-and charge only 98c for Glasses with profit in dollars and cents. The hope is to build an Optical Department that will grow with the years-not be only a money-making scheme of the moment.



# The Palais Royal,

Hours: 8:30 a. m. to 6 p. m.

# METHODISTS PLAN **SERIES OF CHURCHES**

lined at Conference.

NEW TEMPLE FOR BALTIMORE stand for something in dollars and cents.

Other Cities Will Also Have Expensive Edifices, if General Plans Materialize-Rev. Dr. F. E. Fultz Urges Necessity of Equipment to Keep

The new church to be built here at a religion? cost of nearly \$500,000 is only one of a series of temples of Methodism in the plan of church extension of the Methosecond meeting last night.

Baltimore is to have a new Methodist Episcopal church that will cost not less carried out, other cities will have similar

The second session of the annual conference was held at Mount Vernon Place Church. Every pew was crowded with among the clergy of the church.

Pastors Need Equipment. Dr. Collins Denny, of the faculty of Vanderbilt University, urged strong indorsement of even the most ambitious plans for the extension of the church, declaring that pasters must have equip- any other branch of the M. E. Church ment before they can carry out their

work promotes organization, and that as this is an age of organized industry, it is a most important branch of the duties

the material world," said Dr. Fultz, "especially in keeping up outward appearances-such as buildings and the Extension Campaign Out- salaries of the clergy-the church will

lose its spiritual power.

Pace with Upbuilding of Church. the head, and if we are willing to pay vast sums for policemen, why should we

to Rev. Dr. F. E. Fultz, who presided spiritual righteousness, and be a living, Business High School, and A. T. Stuart, over the Baltimore conference at its vivid influence for the upbuilding of the superintendent of public schools, on the hurch and its good works."

than \$200,000, and if the general plans of routine business. The reports of presidthe church extension committee are ing elders of seven of the districts reprepassed upon at a business session to-

Rev. F. J. Prettyman, of Washington, presented an encouraging report from delegates from Maryland, Virginia, North the committee which is working on the Carolina, and the District. There were big church to be built here, at the mornmany late arrivals who are prominent ing session. He said there is every prob- for the remainder of the week, excepting have already entered for the contests dorse the plans already made.

> ference is in better working order than until later in the day. South. Giving his report as general secretary of the Church Extension Society, he said the Baltimore Conference heads the list with appropriations and donations for various branches of home and foreign missions.

A resolution was adopted laying down rules to be followed by foreign missionaries, the result of criticism of ministers of the gospel on duty in the Far East. It advises all missionaries to obey the etter of the laws of the country in which

A reception will be given visiting wome by Mrs. Joseph Printup, 1824 Park road northwest, assisted by women of the Mount Pleasant M. E. Church, this after-

B., last night gave its eleventh annual dance at the old Masonic Temple. The proceeds are to go to the Jewish charitable institutions in this city. The officers of the lodge are Sadie Levy, B. Klawans, R. L. Goldstein, J. Einstein, Amelia Freund, L. Steiner, F. Shoenthal,

# **CONVENTION TO-DAY**

Annual Session to Be Held at Business High School.

Members of Commercial Teachers Association to See President Taft Saturday-An Exhibit of Up-to-date Business Appliances - Shorthand Speed Contests Attract Attention.

Members of the Eastern Commercial Teachers' Association will be formally welcomed to the city this afternoon by President William F. Gude, of the Chamoccasion of the opening of the thirteenth annual convention of the association at

The session will be called to order at 2 o'clock by the president, E. H. Norman, of Baltimore, following a morning devoted to the registration of members and other preliminary details.

Questions of interest to educators will receive the consideration of the association, with free discussion on the part of ability the general conference will in- Friday evening, when the annual banquet scheduled for Saturday morning. The ville, Ky., asserted the Baltimore Con- day morning session will not take place dictations, ranging from 140 to 220 words

BANQUET AT THE ARLINGTON

Response: E. M. Huntsinger, Hartford, Conn.

Announcements and appointment of com-

tensive exhibit of typewriting machines, adding machines, writer presses, business phonographs, and improved systems of accounting, bookkeeping, and shorthand, Contest in Shorthand.

all present. The sessions will continue judging from the number of those who will be held at the Arlington. In order contest is open to all stenographers who to permit members to attend a reception have had not more than ten years' study, by President Taft at 10 o'clock, the Satur- The tests will consist of six five-minute per minute.

Jacobs, Providence, R. I.

dues, at the Business High School, Ninth street and Rhode Island avenue northwest. This afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock, at the Business High School:

William F. Gude, president Washington Chamber of Commerce. A. T. Stuart, superintendent of public schools, Washington, D. C.

President's address, "What shall the standard be?" E. H. Norman, Baltimore,

"Correlation of subjects in a commercial high school," Dr. Colyer Meriwether, Washington, D. C. General discussion (speakers limited to

"The best methods of building up a susiness school," H. M. Rowe, Baltimore,

General discussion (speakers limited to This evening, 7 to 10 o'clock:

Much interest in the shorthand speed contests for the Miner medal is evident, An interesting feature will be an ex- The committee in charge of the con-

man, Boston; E. H. Craver, Paterson, N. J.; G. P. Eckels, Pittsburg, Pa.; J. E. Fuller, Wilmington, Del., and H. L.

PRINCETON TRIANGLE CLUB.

College Players Here To-day in "His Honor, the Sultan."

The Princeton Triangle Club gave its first public performance in Newark last night of "His Honor, the Sultan," a musical comedy, which is to be presented here this afternoon at the Belasco Theater and on consecutive days in Indianapolis,

St. Louis Chicago, and Pittsburg. The Newark Star, in speaking of the The Newark Star, in speaking of the Columbia.—Special conclave in office of Grand Complay, says: "The play has the swing of mander, Masonic Temple, THURSDAY, MARCH 24, the professional product, and well merited the generous applause of the large DAVIS. By order of Grand Commander Newark audience. Brown Rolston, '10, as the "leading lady," is graceful and feminine to just the right degree in his

Chamber of Commerce Will Be Asked to Take Such Action.

Body Will Also Consider Holding sts. nv

Celebration of Opening Panama at the Capital.

The Chamber of Commerce will be asked by its committee on manufactures to inaugurate a campaign for the repeal of the District smoke law south of the Anacostia River, and in Georgetown, between M street and the river. The committee at its last meeting adopted a resolution favoring this action, and it is understood that it will be presented to Of Every Description, Including Autothe Chamber in connection with a report from the committee on the feasibility of establishing manufacturing plants here of a certain type, which would add to the productive capacity of the city, afford employment to those who live here, and increase the wealth and business activity of the city.

It is understood that one of the questions to be discussed by the directors of the Chamber at the next meeting will be a plan to bring the celebration of the opening of the Panama Canal to Washington, on the ground that the Capital is the logical and appropriate place to hold the national celebration of the completion of the canal. While considerable rivalry exists among the commercial cities of the country for the honor of holding this celebration, it is thought by prominent members of the Chamber that it would not be a hard thing to center public opinion upon the Capital as the right place for the event.

A meeting of the joint committee of the Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade will be held to-day at 12:30 o'clock to take up the details of the dinner to be tendered President Taft by the citithat one or more of the subcommittees will submit reports, and that important matters will be up for consideration of the committee.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

GRAND COMMANDERY, K. T., DISTRICT OF 1916, 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of Past Grand Commander ELDRED G. A. W. JOHNSTON,

GRAND LODGE, F. A. A. M., DISTRICT OF WOOLD AMEND SMOKE LAW

Columbia.—Special communication in office of Grand
Master, Masonic Temple, THURSDAY, MARCH 24,
1910. 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of attending
the funeral of Past Grand Master ELDRED G.
DAVIS. By order of Grand Master.

A. W. JOHNSTON,
Grand Secretary

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ter of Good Things, 512 lith street.

Veterans at Annual Fete. Kit Carson Post held its annual cele bration last night at G. A. R. Hall. zens of the District. It is understood There were several speakers and some interesting papers were read, with particular mention of the life and exploits of Gen. "Pap" Thomas. The celebration was well attended. Refreshments

were served at the close of the enter-

ASPINWALL—On Wednesday, March 23, 1910, ALGERNON AIKEN, second son of Clarence A. and Jeannette S. As-Services on Friday, March 25, at 10:30 a. m., from the residence, 1839 Wyom-ing avenue.

BOUCHER-On Wednesday, March 23, 1910, at 12:30 a.m., at his residence, 225 H street northeast, MICHAEL BOUCHER, beloved son of Annie Boucher and the late Thomas Boucher. Notice of funeral hereafter.

BROWN-Suddenly, on Tuesday, March 22 1910, at 9:40 o'clock, MICHAEL J., beloved husband of Mary A. Brown (nee McVerry), in the fifty-eighth year of his age. Funeral from his late residence, 1250

Half street southeast. Saturday, March 26, at 3 p. m., thence to St. Vincent de Paul's Church. Relatives and friends invited.

CALLAHAN—Passed away on Wednesday, March 23, 1910, MARY, wife of Thomas Callahan.
Funeral from her late residence, 808
Twenty-sixth street, at 2:30 p. m., thence to St. Stephen's Catholic Church. DAVIS-Suddenly, on Tuesday, March 22, 1910 at Atlantic City, ELDRED GRIFFITH, beloved husband of Myra L. Davis.

Funeral services at his late residence, 221 R street northwest, on Thursday, March 24, at 3 p. m. Interment (private) in Oak Hill Cemetery.

AMASURE—On Tuesday, March 22, 1910 at 7:30 p. m., EDWIN LAMASURE, husband of Sophie M. Lamasure, aged seventy-six years.
Funeral services on Friday, March 35, at 11 a. m., at Mount Pleasant Congregational Church. Interment (pri-

vate) at Rock Creek Cemetery. LAMONT-Passed away on Tuesday, March 22, 1910, at Richmond, England. E. N. LAMONT, Esq., beloved brother of Mrs. E. Hain. (New York papers please copy.)

LOVE-On Tuesday, March 22, 1919, at 1:25 a. m., ELLEN LOVE (nee Daly), sister of Elizabeth and Bartholomew Daly. Daly.

Funeral will take place from her late residence, 1315 Thirteenth street northeast, on Thursday morning, March 24, 1916, at 9:30 o'clock, thence to the Church of the Holy Comforter, where services will he held at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

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"If the church fails to keep pace with

"We must have equipment, and we must have things paid for, but, above all, the church must be kept up materially in the eyes of the world. The gospel ought to

Religion is not free literally-it costs noney, and it is worth it. Church Stands First, "Take a police department, for instance, It represents the other end of society. It uts off the sores of society with the lancet of the law. But the church is at

not be equally willing to pay for our "I reckon it won't be long before people can boast of a temple here in Washington that will be a satisfaction to those who dig down in their pockets for the dist Episcopal Church South, according cash to build it. And it will fairly radiate ber of Commerce; Allan Davis, of the

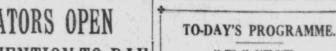
The afternoon was spent entirely in ommittee meetings and the disposal of Business High School. sented were received and filed, to be

Bultimore Heads List, Rev. Dr. W. F. McMurray, of Louis-

they are stationed.

Concert for Charity. Ladles' Liberty Lodge, No. 19, I. O. S.

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Registration of members and payment of

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Discussion opened by J. E. Gill, Trenton,

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